

Hundredth Legislature - First Session - 2007 Committee Statement LB 17

Hearing Date: January 17, 2007

Committee On: Government, Military and Veterans Affairs

Introducer(s): (Mines, 18)

Title: Change provisions relating to multiple office holding

Roll Call Vote – Final Committee Action:

X Advanced to General File

Advanced to General File with Amendments

Indefinitely Postponed

Vote Results:

7 Yes Senators Adams, Aguilar, Avery, Karpisek, Mines, Pahls, Rogert

0 No

0 Present, not voting

1 Absent Senator Friend

Proponents:Senator Mick Mines

Introducer

Opponents: Representing:

Neutral: Representing:

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB 17 adds natural resources districts to the definition of high elective office. By adding natural resource districts, it will prohibit a candidate for such office to be eligible to file as a candidate, to petition on the ballot as a candidate, to accept a nomination by a political party or to be a declared write-in candidate for another high elective office to be filled at the same time. No person serving in a high elective office can simultaneously serve in any other high elective office, except for county attorneys in some limited circumstances.

Explanation of amendments, if any:

Senator Ray Aguilar, Chairperson